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Nominees of Chicago Conventions

Hughes and Fairbanks Nominated by G. O. P. Progressives Name Roosevelt and Parker. T. R. May Decline.

Chicago, June 10.—The Republican National Convention today nominated Charles Evans Hughes, of New York, and Charles Warren Fairbanks, of Indiana, as the candidates of their party for president and vice president.

Almost at the same moment Theodore Roosevelt was nominated for president by the Progressive Convention and later in the day John M. Parker, of Louisiana, was named as his running-mate.

Mr. Roosevelt's provisional declaration to accept the Progressive nomination is believed by the politically wise to leave the door ajar, if not wide open, for eventual withdrawal of the third ticket in the event Mr. Hughes' position on what the Progressives feel to be the vital issues of the campaign meets their approval. To this extent at least the leaders in both parties feel that the effort at harmony, even if not directly fruitful of result, may yet be realized.

Republican Proceedings.

Chicago, June 10.—Charles Evans Hughes, former governor of New York, and associate justice of the supreme court, was nominated today for the presidency by the Republican National Convention.

Charles Warren Fairbanks, of Indiana, elected vice-president with Theodore Roosevelt in 1904, again was chosen for second place.

Both nominations, made by overwhelming majorities on the first ballot of the day—the third ballot of the convention for the presidency—were, by acclamation, made unanimous.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, presented by Colonel Roosevelt as a compromise candidate, received seven votes. Colonel Roosevelt himself received 181 scattered over twelve states.

The nominating ballot showed this count:

Hughes, 549; Roosevelt, 181; Lodge, 7; DuPont, 5; Weeks, 3; LaFollette, 3; Absent 1. Total, 587.

Although Frank H. Hitchcock let it be known that the Hughes men wanted Burton for second place, Ohio withdrew Burton's name, leaving the field to Mr. Fairbanks and former Senator Burkett, of Nebraska. The ballot for vice-president showed this count:

Fairbanks, 563; Burkett, 108; Borah, 8; Burton, 1; Johnson, 1; absent, scattering and not voting, 6. Total, 587.

Mr. Hughes will be notified officially at a date to be fixed later by a committee headed by Senator Harding, chairman of the convention.

Mr. Fairbanks will be notified by a committee headed by Senator Borah.

At 2:30 p. m. the convention adjourned. There were expressions of harmony from all of the leaders and among the delegates. The delegations which on the final ballot had cast votes for others than Mr. Hughes made statements declaring their loyalty to the nominee.

Progressive Proceedings.

Chicago, June 10.—The Progressive National Convention after four days' tumult, with but one purpose, today nominated Colonel Theodore Roosevelt for president, and a few hours later listened without protest to a message from Oyster Bay that he would not accept "at this time". The convention adjourned at 1:55 p. m.

Colonel Roosevelt's declaration was conditional and it was placed in the hands of the Progressive committee to be held until such time as statements of Justice Hughes, the nominee of the Republican party "shall satisfy the committee that it is

for the interest of the country that he be elected.

Captain John M. Parker, of Louisiana, was nominated for vice-president, the selection being by acclamation.

Colonel Roosevelt's running mate of four years ago, Governor Johnson, of California, refused to let his name be placed before the convention because of the information he had concerning the intentions of Colonel Roosevelt toward his nomination.

Hughes Resigns to Accept Summons of Party.

Washington, June 10.—Charles Evans Hughes stepped down today from the supreme bench, and accepted the Republican nomination for president. In a telegram denouncing the administration's foreign policies and declaring for a "dominant, thoroughgoing Americanism," he gave his decision to Chairman Harding, of the Republican National Convention, and broke the long silence which had kept the leaders of his party in the dark as to his attitude on what they consider the great issues of the day.

"I have not desired the nomination," the telegram said, "I have wished to remain on the bench. But in this critical period of our national history, I recognize that it is my right to summon and that it is my paramount duty to respond."

Within an hour after Chairman Harding had notified him of his nomination, Mr. Hughes had accepted the call.

Flour Mill Destroyed By Fire.

Bedford City, June 10.—Last night about 8:30 o'clock, following a heavy rain in the afternoon, one of the most remarkable electrical storms ever experienced here descended upon the town. With seemingly very little lightning flash there came a terrific crash of thunder that shook the houses and caused general alarm. In a twinkling the electric lights, both are and incandescent, were extinguished in many parts of the town, leaving an impenetrable darkness.

This morning about 4 o'clock a fire started in a large flour mill beside the Norfolk and Western railway, east of the bridge.

The mill and its contents were totally destroyed. There were a hundred barrels of flour stored in the mill belonging to Messrs. Bowyer and Carper, which was burned, but the loss was covered by insurance, as was the mill. On June 1, Mr. R. X. Overstreet, who had purchased the mill from Bowyer and Carper, took charge. On Tuesday, June 6, he sold it to Messrs. W. A. and H. W. Wood and R. L. Burroughs, who recorded the deed and took out an insurance policy for \$2,500 the same day.

Prof. Livesay May Go From Galax to Coeburn.

It has been reported to The Banner that Prof. J. A. Livesay, the founder of the Graham High School, and who taught here for several years, has accepted the position of principal of the school at Coeburn, in Wise county. Prof. Livesay has been principal of the school at Galax for two years, since leaving Graham.

He owns property here and has many friends who appreciate his ability as a school principal.—Graham Banner.

For Sale.

Although the cost of material for the manufacture of electric irons and fans has increased very materially and the cost of such electric irons and fans has increased in the corresponding manner, yet we have maintained the old price of Three (\$3.00) Dollars for the standard electric iron and Ten (\$10.00) Dollars up, on electric fans. We have a large stock of these articles on display and will be pleased to have you call. Electric Transmission Co., of Va. Big Stone Gap and Appalachia.

Rains Increase Typhoid Hazard

Recent Weather Makes Protection of Water Supplies Most Necessary.

Richmond, Va., June 10.—The prospects of a "good" typhoid year on account of the late spring have largely been offset by the unusual rains of the last ten days and the situation throughout the State is one that calls for unusual precautions to prevent the spread of the "summer scourge." Such is the substance of a warning issued today by the State Board of Health.

Thus far the board has received comparatively few reports of an unusual prevalence of typhoid in the State. But in a few localities apparent outbreaks have occurred and are now under careful observation, and a general increase in the number of cases is expected before June 15th.

"Some people still seem, to think," said Health Commissioner Williams today, "that typhoid originates in water or in some other mysterious source beyond their control. As a matter of fact, typhoid can only be contracted by taking in to the body germs that have come from the body of some other person. Man pollutes the water from which other persons may get the germs of typhoid. Man puts into food, through his own filth, the germs that may destroy others. Even the fly, which is rightly regarded as the most dangerous insect of this climate, can only spread typhoid when man's carelessness has exposed filth to the flies."

"On this simple and oft-tested basis, the whole theory of typhoid prevention is based. We must so dispose of the filth from the human body that it cannot reach the food or drink of man or be carried to him on the feet of flies. This is the sum and substance of the methods of prevention that have to be applied as circumstances require."

"The dangers of human filth are complicated by the fact that unsuspected persons sometimes harbor the germs of typhoid and discharge them regularly or intermittently. Most people realize that there is danger from an active case of typhoid in the home or in the neighborhood, but many do not seem to realize that there is likewise danger from typhoid 'carriers'—people who have had the disease and have apparently recovered but still carry the germs. In addition, it seems that a few people who are for some reason immune and have no history of typhoid are also 'carriers'. To guard against these, all human filth must be treated as though it were infected and must be disposed of so that it cannot possibly reach the bodies of healthy persons. The first essential is a sanitary outhouse, regularly used by all members of the family. The second is a water supply, so located and protected that it cannot be polluted. The third is protection of food supplies, notably of milk, from polluted water, infected persons and flies."

"There is a dangerous misunderstanding as to the amount of infected matter necessary to cause typhoid. Some think the disease can be spread only when there is a vast deal of

filth. This, of course, increases the hazard, but cleanliness, to be protective, must be absolute. Enough germs can be carried in a particle of filth, scarcely visible, to infect an entire community."

Base Ball

Appalachia vs. Big Stone Gap

Big Stone Gap won from Appalachia here Saturday in a very interesting game, the score being 10 to 4. Until the sixth inning it was hard to tell what the outcome would be, but Appalachia blew up, making several costly errors, which were mainly the cause of their defeat. Cress pitched a splendid game, the locals finding his delivery hard to connect with. Kelly was also there with his usual good line of pitching, striking out fourteen men. Wakin featured at the bat with a three base drive to left in the fourth inning, which accounted for two of Appalachia's scores, while McConnell, for the locals, put up a sensational fielding game at short stop.

Following is tabulated score of game:

BIG STONE GAP										
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E		AB	R	H
Gilly, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0		4	0	0
McConnell, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0		4	0	0
Baker, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0		4	0	0
Fate, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0		3	0	0
Parsons, 1b	1	2	2	0	0	0		1	2	2
Shaffer, lf	3	1	2	1	0	0		3	1	2
Brady, rf	3	2	0	1	0	0		3	2	0
Kelly, p	4	2	1	0	0	0		4	2	1
Shoen, c	2	1	0	1	0	0		2	1	0
Totals	28	10	5	22	0	0		28	10	5

APPALACHIA										
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E		AB	R	H
C. Kelly, 2b	5	1	2	2	1	0		5	1	2
Brown, 1b	4	1	1	1	0	0		4	1	1
Davis, cf	5	0	0	12	1	0		5	0	0
Wakin, lf	4	1	1	5	0	0		4	1	1
Williams, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0		2	1	0
Mish, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0		4	0	1
Brady, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0		3	0	1
Kelly, p	4	2	1	0	0	0		4	2	1
Cress, c	1	0	0	0	1	0		1	0	0
Totals	35	11	9	21	8	0		35	11	9

Impress—A good and heavy base on Kelly off Kelly, 3 runs, 1 base hit—Wakin. Two base hits, Brady and Brown. Struck out by Kelly, 14. Cress, 10. Innings: 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-12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